UNITED STATES INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION

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| |) Investigation No.: |
| FROZEN CONCENTRATED |) 731-TA-326 (Second Review) |
| ORANGE JUICE FROM BRAZIL |) |

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Tuesday, March 15, 2005

Room No. 101 U.S. International Trade Commission 500 E Street, S.W. Washington, D.C.

The Commission Meeting commenced, pursuant to Notice, at 9:30 a.m., before the Commissioners of the United States International Trade Commission, the Honorable STEPHEN KOPLAN, Chairman, presiding.

APPEARANCES:

On behalf of the International Trade Commission:

Commissioners:

STEPHEN KOPLAN, CHAIRMAN
DEANNA TANNER OKUN, VICE CHAIRMAN
MARCIA E. MILLER, COMMISSIONER
JENNIFER A. HILLMAN, COMMISSIONER
CHARLOTTE R. LANE, COMMISSIONER
DANIEL R. PEARSON, COMMISSIONER

APPEARANCES: (cont'd.)

Staff:

MARILYN R. ABBOTT, SECRETARY TO THE COMMISSION SHARON BELLAMY, HEARINGS AND MEETINGS ASSISTANT MEGAN SPELLACY, INVESTIGATOR ALFRED DENNIS, INDUSTRY ANALYST KELLY CLARK, ECONOMIST JOHN ASCIENZO, AUDITOR/ACCOUNTANT MICHAEL DIEHL, ATTORNEY DIANE MAZUR, SUPERVISORY INVESTIGATOR

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| AGENDA FOR FUTURE MEETING: NONE | 4 |
| MINUTES: MARCH 8, 2005 (2 SETS) | 4 |
| RATIFICATION LIST: 05-005 | 4 |
| INV. NO. 731-TA-326 (SECOND REVIEW) (FROZEN CONCENTRATED ORANGE JUICE FROM BRAZIL) BRIEFING AND VOTE | 4 |
| OUTSTANDING ACTION JACKETS: NONE | 4 |

| 1 | <u>PROCEEDINGS</u> |
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| 2 | (9:30 a.m. |
| 3 | CHAIRMAN KOPLAN: This meeting of the U.S. |
| 4 | International Trade Commission will please come to |
| 5 | order. |
| 6 | Good morning, Madam Secretary. |
| 7 | MS. ABBOTT: Good morning, Mr. Chairman. |
| 8 | CHAIRMAN KOPLAN: I understand there is no |
| 9 | agenda for future meetings or outstanding action |
| 10 | jackets to consider. |
| 11 | We will now turn to the minutes of March 8, |
| 12 | 2005, (2 sets) and Ratification List 05-005. |
| 13 | Are there any objections to approval of |
| 14 | those minutes or the ratification list? |
| 15 | (No response.) |
| 16 | CHAIRMAN KOPLAN: Hearing none, they are |
| 17 | approved. |
| 18 | We will now turn to the briefing and vote in |
| 19 | Investigation No. 731-TA-326 (Second Review), Frozen |
| 20 | Concentrated Orange Juice From Brazil. |
| 21 | Welcome to Ms. Mazur and the staff who |
| 22 | participated in this investigation. |
| 23 | Are there any questions for the staff? |
| 24 | (No response.) |
| 25 | CHAIRMAN KOPLAN: Are there any additions or |
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| 1 | corrections to the staff report? |
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| 2 | MS MAZUR: Mr. Chairman, additions and |
| 3 | corrections to the staff report are contained in |
| 4 | Investigations Memorandum INV-CC-21. |
| 5 | CHAIRMAN KOPLAN: Are there any objections |
| 6 | to approval of the staff report as revised? |
| 7 | (No response.) |
| 8 | CHAIRMAN KOPLAN: Hearing none, it is |
| 9 | approved. |
| LO | Madam Secretary, will you please call the |
| L1 | roll? |
| L2 | MS. ABBOTT: Commissioner Okun? |
| L3 | VICE CHAIRMAN OKUN: I vote in the negative |
| L4 | MS. ABBOTT: Commissioner Lane? |
| L5 | COMMISSIONER LANE: I vote in the negative. |
| L6 | MS. ABBOTT: Commissioner Miller? |
| L7 | COMMISSIONER MILLER: I vote in the |
| L8 | negative. |
| L9 | MS. ABBOTT: Commissioner Koplan? |
| 20 | CHAIRMAN KOPLAN: I vote in the negative. |
| 21 | MS. ABBOTT: Commissioner Hillman? |
| 22 | COMMISSIONER HILLMAN: I vote in the |
| 23 | negative. |
| 24 | MS. ABBOTT: Commissioner Pearson? |
| 25 | COMMISSIONER PEARSON: I concur with my |
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1 colleagues. MS. ABBOTT: Mr. Chairman, the Commission 2 3 has reached a negative determination. 4 CHAIRMAN KOPLAN: Thank you, Madam 5 Secretary. Further information regarding this 6 7 determination will be in the press release. Commissioners' opinions are currently 8 scheduled to be transmitted to the Department of 9 Commerce on or before March 28, 2005. 10 11 I want to thank all staff who assisted in 12 this investigation. I understand there is no other business 13 before the Commission. We will briefly adjourn and 14 15 then resume for our hearing. 16 Thank you. 17 (Whereupon, at 9:32 a.m. the Commission meeting in the above-entitled matter was concluded.) 18 19 // 20 // // 21 22 // 23 // 24 // 25 //

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CERTIFICATION OF TRANSCRIPTION

TITLE: Frozen Concentrated Orange Juice

From Brazil

INVESTIGATION NO.: 731-TA-326 (Second Review)

HEARING DATE: March 15, 2005

LOCATION: Washington, D.C.

NATURE OF HEARING: Commission Meeting

I hereby certify that the foregoing/attached transcript is a true, correct and complete record of the above-referenced proceeding(s) of the U.S. International Trade Commission.

DATE: March 15, 2005

SIGNED: <u>LaShonne Robinson</u>

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SIGNED: <u>Carlos Gamez</u>

Signature of Proofreader

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SIGNED: <u>Jacqueline Richards-Craig</u>

Signature of Court Reporter

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